

From: REBECCA MAY

Date: Fri, Feb 7, 2003 3:26 PM

Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients

Senator Lugar

Senator Bayh

Representative Souder

Message text follows

REBECCA MAY
1525 E 100 SOUTH
COLUMBIA CITY, IN 46725

February 7, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

The Federal Communications Commission is considering taking actions that will restrict consumer choice by deregulating local phone service.

Millions of Americans like me could have their phone service threatened if the local phone companies aren't required to allow competitors access to the market. I'm also concerned about the Commission's move to relieve all broadband Internet access facilities of open access obligations.

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Sincerely,

REBECCA J MAY

From: Rene' Worley
Date: Sun, Feb 9, 2003 11:43 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Baucus
Senator Burns
Representative Rehberg
Message text follows:

Rene' Worley
324 Garfield Street
Wolf Point, MT 59201

February 9, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Rene' Worley

From: Richard A. & Maryanna Fiorentini
Date: Fri, Feb 7, 2003 6:09 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Sarbanes
Senator Mikulski
Representative Gilchrest
Message text follows:

Richard A. & Maryanna Fiorentini
25 Lona Court
Baltimore, MD 21236-1539

February 7, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Richard A. & Maryanna Fiorentini

From: Richard Starr
Date: Sun, Feb 9, 2003 10:50 AM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Graham
Senator Nelson
Representative Weldon
Message text follows:

Richard Starr
PO Box 061503
Palm Bay, FL 32906-1503

February 9, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Richard Starr

From: Richard & Barbara Tetlow
Date: Sat, Feb 8, 2003 11:12 AM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Byrd
Senator Rockefeller
Representative Capito
Message text follows:

Richard & Barbara Tetlow
430 Hackamore Lane
Berkeley Springs, WV 25411

February 8, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Richard & Barbara Tetlow

From: Richard Berghefer
Date: Thu, Feb 6, 2003 3:06 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Durbin
Senator Fitzgerald
Representative Evans
Message text follows:

Richard Berghefer
16126252nd ST. W.
Illinois City, IL 61259-9739

February 6, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Richard Berghefer

From: RICHARD BOCK
Date: Thu, Feb 6, 2003 11:49 AM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Snowe
Senator Collins
Representative Michaud
Message text follows:

RICHARD BOCK
1141 MODDY MOUNTAIN ROAD
SEARSMOUNT, ME 04973

February 6, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

RICHARD W. BOCK

From: Richard Brooks
Date: Thu, 6 Feb 2003 10:43 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Feinstein
Senator Boxer
Representative Matsui
Message text follows:

Richard Brooks
8497 Sunnybrae Dr
Sacramento, CA 95823-5786

February 6, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Richard Brooks

From: Richard Drake Jr
C/O M. J. Drake & Co.
Date: Sat, Feb 8, 2003 10:20 AM
Subject: Save the UNE-Platform

Please **see** the attached letter

Thank you

February 7, 2003

Dear Commissioner Adelstein:

I ask your support for the continued availability of the "UNE-Platform."

My company, Cornerstone Telephone, offers local telephone service throughout New York State. The company has achieved increasing success largely because it utilizes the combination of "unbundled network elements" - the UNE-Platform - to serve customers. It is absolutely critical that we have continued access to the UNE-Platform to remain competitive.

Unfortunately, the Regional Bell Operating Companies have launched a full-scale attack on the UNE-Platform, realizing it is a major threat to their continued market dominance. Their strategy is to impose certain restrictions on individual network elements that would destroy the competitive value of the UNE-Platform. If the RBOCs succeed, it will all but end any chance for consumers to enjoy the benefits of meaningful competition in local phone service.

Please oppose any effort that will limit the availability of the UNE-Platform. The UNE-Platform should be firmly and permanently established as a viable service option for competitive telecom carriers.

Thank you very much for your time and attention to this important matter.

Sincerely,

Richard W. Drake, Jr
Director
Cornerstone Telephone

From: Richard Ellis
Date: Fri, Feb 7, 2003 12:21 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Gregg
Senator Sununu
Representative Bass
Message text follows:

Richard Ellis
PO Box 190
Jaffrey, NH 03452-0190

February 7, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Richard G. **Ellis** MD

From: Richard Kump
To: [redacted]
Date: 11, Feb, 2003 11:34 AM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Representative Feeney

Message text follows:

Richard Kump
2660 hutchison Pl.
Titusville, FL 32780

February 7, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Richard Kump

From: Richard MacLean
To: Richard MacLean
Date: Sat, Feb 8, 2003 7:42 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Gregg
Senator Sununu
Representative Bradley
Message text follows:

Richard MacLean
5 Murray Dr.
Rochester, NH 03868

February 8, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Richard MacLean

From: Richard Mautner
Date: Tue, 11 Feb 03, 2003 4:51 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Feinstein
Senator Boxer
Representative Davis
Message text follows:

Richard Mautner
7245-56 Calabria Ct.
San Diego, CA 92122-5536

February 6, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Richard & June Mautner

From: Richard Mundell
To: Sharon Jenkins
Date: Fri, Feb 7, 2003 7:55 AM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Hagel
Senator Nelson
Representative Osborne
Message text follows:

Richard Mundell
404 E 6th St
Ogallala, NE 69153-2211

February 7, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Richard H Mundell

From: Richard Ritenour
To: Senator Specter
Date: Fri, Feb 7, 2003 3:50 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Specter

Senator Santorum

Representative Greenwood

Message text follows:

Richard Ritenour
319 Broad Street
Perkasie, PA 18944

February 7, 2003

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[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Richard D. & Sondra L. Ritenour

From: richard staber
Date: Thu, 6 Feb 2003 11:10 AM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Graham
Senator Nelson
Representative Boyd
Message text follows:

richard staber
hc 1 box280
oldtown, FL 32680-9511

February 6, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

richard staber

From: Robbie Shaw
Date: Thu, Feb 6, 2003 12:33 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Nickles

Senator Inhofe

Message text follows:

Robbie Shaw
300 Melville Drive Apt 304
Pauls Valley, OK 73075

February 6, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Robbie Shaw

From: Robert Cook
Date: Thu, Feb 6, 2003 12:09 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Alexander
Representative Davis
Message text follows:

Robert Cook
237 Todd Lane
Mc Minnville. TN 37110-5086

February 6, 2003

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[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Robert G. Cook Sr.

From: Robert Ayers
Date: Thu, Feb 6, 2003 2:43 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Durbin
Senator Fitzgerald
Representative Johnson
Message text follows:

Robert Ayers
3 Bellamy Ct.
Champaign, IL 61821

February 6, 2003

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[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Robert L. Ayers

From: Robert Houston
Date: February 7, 2003 8:04 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Cantwell

Message text follows:

Robert Houston
212 E. Wedgewood Ave. Apt 22
Spokane, WA 99208

February 7, 2003

[recipient address **was** inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Robert Houston

From: Robert Ludwig
Date: Fri, Feb 7, 2003 11:41 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Hutchison
Senator Cornyn
Representative Johnson
Message text follows:

Robert Ludwig
11954 Shoal Creek Dr.
Frisco, TX 75035-5408

February 7, 2003

[recipientaddress was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Robert C. Ludwig

From: Robert and Dolores Di Silverio
Date: Thu, Feb 11, 2003 1:18 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers and other Cost Increases

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Hutchison
Representative Smith
Message text follows:

Robert and Dolores Di Silverio
2391 Twinwood
New Braunfels, TX 78132

February 6, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

The Federal Communications Commission is considering taking actions that will restrict consumer choice by deregulating local phone service.

Millions of Americans like me could have their phone service threatened if the local Phone service changes once again. As senior citizens we who were careful to plan for our independence in our old age and are beginning to realize we are in danger of collapse from many directions. Our utilities are increasing constantly, our health costs are going up every month, our home and auto insurances, for us personally, this year have suddenly doubled in spite of the fact we've had maybe one claim in the last twenty years, the interest rates on our savings are practically non-existent, our cost of living increases are laughable and our pension plans are now in jeopardy. Can increased property or sales taxes be far behind considering the state of the Texas budget.

As you can see we are concerned certainly about the FCC changes, but that's just one more in a long list of problems for Senior Citizens. I don't want the Gov. or anyone else to be responsible for my care but I would certainly appreciate Laws that do not destroy what little I have accumulated simply because others have lived and saved and legislated in less responsible ways.

We're not asking for handouts-we'd prefer to be able to afford to pay our own costs but at this rate we will lose ground very rapidly. We already have in spite of frugal living. Help!

Respectfully,

Robert and Dolores Di Silverio

From: Robert Brixner
Date: Thu, Feb 6 2003 4:25 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Feinstein
Senator Boxer
Representative Lee
Message text follows:

Robert Brixner
6258 Crown Avenue
Oakland, CA 94611

February 6, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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